IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: SINGH, Nitvalendra TC/AU: 1792

Serial No. 10/596,544 Examiner; NUCKOLS, Tiffany Z.

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For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR PLASMA PROCESSING

To: Mail Stop Amendment

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OFFICE ACTION RESPONSE <u>AMENDMENT</u>

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office's Non-Final Office Action dated <u>09/30/2009</u>, the Applicant has timely enclosed herein: <u>10</u> pages Office Action Response. Payment of \$130.00 for an Extension to File in the First Month is included. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page $\underline{2}$ of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

DEPOSIT ACCOUNT 500323 AUTHORIZATION - All necessary fees relating to the attached submittal, if any, are intended to be included. However, the Office is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment in the fees relating to the submittal to deposit account 500323, registered to Vernon C. Maine PLLC, contact telephone no. 603-886-6100.